

12832 to 12842—Continued.**12836 to 12842—Continued.****12841. OPUNTIA FICUS INDICA.**

“Fructu flavo-carne, compacta, vulgo ‘Brontese.’” (Doctor Cavara’s No. 7.)

12842. OPUNTIA FICUS INDICA.

“Fructu albo-venosa.” (Doctor Cavara’s No. 6.)

12843 to 12845. CUCURBITA sp.**Squash.**

From Yokohama, Japan. Received thru the Yokohama Nursery Company, February 7, 1905.

12843. Kikugata (early).**12845. Kikuza** (late).**12844. Chilimen** (early).**12846 to 12848.**

From Tunis. Received thru Mr. T. H. Kearney, December 28, 1904.

12846. MEDICAGO SATIVA.**Alfalfa.**

Oasis. From Kebili.

12847. MEDICAGO SATIVA.**Alfalfa.**

Tripoli. From Gabes.

12848. PISTACIA VERA.**Pistache.**

From Sfax. Nuts from the 1904 crop.

12849. CANNABIS SATIVA.**Hemp.**

From Nicholasville, Ky. Received thru W. L. Steel & Co., February, 1904.

12850. FELJOA SELLOWIANA.

From Sao Paulo, Brazil. Presented by Mr. Alberto Löfgren, Botanic Gardens. Received March 11, 1905.

“A plant belonging to the guava family. Plants of this new fruit have been grown by Mr. Taft and Doctor Franceschi in southern California, and small immature fruits have been borne by single plants grown by these parties. The plant has been successfully cultivated on the Riviera, where there are several specimens of considerable size which have borne excellent fruit. Doctor André, who has paid special attention to this fruit, pronounces it, in flavor, something exceptionally delicious. The fruits are about the size of a large English walnut, green in color and covered with blunt protuberances. Little is known at the present time in this country regarding the actual flavor of the fruit. The fruit is of a character which enables it to be plucked from the bush before ripening. It is believed that this plant can be grown successfully in all the frostless regions of the Southwest. It is well worthy of serious consideration by all those interested especially in subtropical fruit culture.” (*Fairchild.*)

12851. PENNISETUM TYPHOIDEUM.**Pearl or cat-tail millet.**

From Augusta, Ga. Received thru the N. L. Willet Drug Company, March 13, 1905.

12852. ORYZA SATIVA.**Rice.**

From Augusta, Ga. Received thru the N. L. Willet Drug Company, March 13, 1905.

12853. TRITICUM DICOCUM.**Emmer.**

From Lawrence, Kans. Received thru F. Barteldes & Co., February 22, 1905.